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## **Commissioner for Patents**

The reply filed on May 17, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant didn't point out the support for the amendments, i.e. the last two lines of new independent claims 51,59 and 67. See 37 CFR 1.111. Also, an interview was conducted on May 20th, 2005 so a new response would include a complete or accurate record of the substance of this interview. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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